GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR&RD Department – Allegations of irregularities in execution of the work "Providing BT to the road from Rajupalem to Gunthapalli, via Routhupalli and Payalapalli" in Prakasam District - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then DEE, PIU SD, Cumbum, Prakasam District and (4) others - Appointment of Inquiry Officer & Presenting Officer under Rule 20 (2) of APCS(CC&A)Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 181 Dated: 31-03-2021
Read the following:-

1)G.O.Rt.No.9 PR & RD (Vig.II)Dept.,Dt:07-01-2020.
2)G.O.Rt.Nos.10,11,12,13 & 14 PR & RD (Vig.II) Dept., Dt:07-01-2020.
3)Written Statement of Defence from Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then DEE, PIU, SD Cumbum, now as DEE, PRISD, Peddakurapadu, Guntur Dated:24-2-2020
4)Written Statement of Defence from Sri M. Srinivasa Murthy, the then AE, PIU, SD Cumbum, now working at O/o DEE, PRISD, Yerragondapalem Dt:25-2-2020.
5)Written Statement of Defence from Smt.P.Anitha, the then Superintendent O/o PAO, Prakasam now O/o Asst.Pay & Accounts Officer-1 WA, Nellore Dt:12-3-2020.
6)Written Statement of Defence from Sri K. Somaiah, the then PAO, Prakasam now CA&FO, APWRDC, Vijayawada Dt:01-02-2021.
7)Written Statement of Defence from Sri N. Sai Murali, Sr.Accountant, PAO, Works Accounts, Guntur Dt:28-12-2020.

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ORDER:

In the G.O 1st read above, common disciplinary proceedings were initiated against (1) Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PIU SD, Cumbum, Prakasam District and (4) others working in PR Engineering Department and Works Accounts Department under Rule 24 of the APCS(CC&A)Rules, 1991.

3. In the G.Os 2nd read above, disciplinary proceedings were also initiated against Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PIU SD, Cumbum, Prakasam District and (4) others by framing charges under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, on allegations of irregularities in execution of the work "Providing BT to the road from Rajupalem to Gunthapalli, via Routhupalli and Payalapalli" in Prakasam District. In response to the charges, the Charged Officers have submitted their written statements of defences, vide their representations 3rd to 7th read above. The same were examined and found as not satisfactory.

4. Government, after examining the matter, have decided to conduct regular enquiry into the charges framed against Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PIU SD, Cumbum, Prakasam District and (4) others, under APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991.

5. Accordingly, Government hereby appoint the Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Ongole as Inquiry Officer under Rule 20(2) of APCS (CC&A)Rules, 1991 to conduct inquiry against Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, PIU SD, Cumbum, Prakasam District and (4) others.

6. Government also hereby appoint the Executive Engineer, PR Division, Markapur, Prakasam District as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiry Officer, under Rule 20(5)(c) of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991, on behalf of the disciplinary authority.

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7. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Enquiry Officer effectively. He shall also obtain and produce documents, if any, required by the Inquiry Officer, during the course of inquiry.

8. The Inquiry Officer shall conduct inquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub-rule 18(ii) of the above said rule. Copies of the Article of charges issued to the Delinquent Officers are herewith furnished to the Inquiry Officer as required under Rule 20(7) of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj Circle, Prakasam, Ongole& Inquiry Officer, through the ENC, PR, Vijayawada(we)
The Executive Engineer, PR Division, Markapur, Prakasam District & Presenting Officer, through the ENC, PR,Vijayawada(we)

Copy to:
1)Sri P. Ganga Naik, the then DEE, PIU, SD Cumbum, now as DEE, PRISD, Peddakurapadu, Guntur(Thro' ENC, PR, Vijayawada)
2)Sri M. Srinivasa Murthy, the then AE, PIU, SD Cumbum, now working at O/o DEE, PRISD, Yerragondapalem(Through ENC, PR, Vijayawada)
3) Sri K. Somaiah, the then PAO, Prakasam now CA&FO, APWRDC, Vijayawada(Through Finance(Admn-II-DWA-PAO)Dept.)
4) Smt.P.Anitha, the then Superintendent O/o PAO, Prakasam now O/o Asst.Pay & Accounts Officer-1 WA, Nellore(Through Finance (Admn-II-DWA-PAO)Dept.
5)Sri N. Sai Murali, Sr.Accountant, PAO, Works Accounts, Guntur(Through Finance(Admn-II-DWA-PAO)Dept.
6)The GA(V&E) Department, AP, Vijayawada-(w.r.t VR-7 dt:10-2-2016)
7)The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Velagapudi.
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